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ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
POLICE DEPARTMENT

CITY OF SEATTLE



FOR THE YEAR 1942

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of the
POLICE DEPARTMENT
CITY OF SEATTLE, WASHINGTON

FOR THE YEAR ENDING
DECEMBER 31, 1942



H. D. KIMSEY - - - - - *Chief of Police*
W. B. KIRTLEY - *Assistant Chief of Police*



H. D. KIMSEY

Chief of Police

THE CITY OF SEATTLE

WASHINGTON

DEPARTMENT OF POLICE

May 1, 1943

To the Mayor and City Council
City of Seattle, Washington

Honorable Members:

In compliance with Section 5, Article VII of the City Charter, I herewith submit statistical report of the business transacted by the Seattle Police Department for the year ending December 31, 1942.

This report will show the tremendous increase in police work during the year 1942 due to our war-time activities, the large industrial growth in this city in war-production plants, and the greatly increased population of the city and immediate vicinity.

It will be noted that the arrests for the year of 1942 totaled 42,072 as compared with 28,367 during the year 1941. With a large temporary floating population and the necessity of increased vigilance in the protection of our war-production program, it has been necessary for the Police Department to follow a policy of strict law-enforcement and to take into custody all suspicious or vagrant persons in order to suppress any attempts at sabotage or interference with Governmental activities in this time of crisis. Our efforts in assisting the Government in the enforcement of all war-time regulations has resulted in many arrests of floaters and suspicious characters. However, from this report, it will be noted that there has been no increase in the number of major criminal offenses committed or reported to the police over the year 1941, the increase in arrests being accounted for by a closer check on misdemeanors, drunks, floaters, and so forth.

Our National Defense Detail has worked in close cooperation with the Federal Bureau of Investigation in the enforcement of all war-time regulations and all male persons arrested have been carefully checked as to their Selective Service status, which has resulted in many violators of this act being apprehended.

All branches of our civilian defense program, inaugurated after the beginning of the war, have been enlarged, and advanced methods adopted during the year 1942. Inspector A. L. Chaffee of this department has been appointed Chief of the Auxiliary Police and Coordinator to work with the Civilian Protection Division of the Seattle War Commission. Assisting him is Sergeant Mac Treisch of this department, who has been appointed by Mayor Devin as Chief of War Aid and Evacuation. An officer of this department has been assigned as Chief of Staff to the Director of Civilian Protection, and three other officers of this department have been assigned to man the control room and communication center of the Civilian Protection headquarters in the Field Artillery Armory. The three branches of Civilian Defense, namely, the Auxiliary Police, the Home Defense Infantry Reserve, and the Air Raid Wardens, have all been greatly expanded in the matter of numbers and improved and advanced instruction and methods of operation during the year of 1942.

Our Auxiliary Police and Civilian Defense Division give every assistance in the advancement, proper instruction, and organization of these three groups composing our Civilian Defense activities.

In our own department, all members completed their course of instruction in First Aid during the early part of 1942 at our Police Training School as well as completing a course in the various phases of civilian protection, such as the handling of bombs, gases, demolition work, evacuation, and so forth. The efficiency of our Civilian Protection and Civilian Defense units has been built up through courses of instruction and training in our police training school, and we believe that these efforts have resulted in the building up of a Civilian Protection Division in this city which compares very favorably with those in other cities throughout the country. In view of the fact that Seattle with its many war plants and close proximity to large military concentrations and its importance as a shipping center may be subject to attack by enemies, we have endeavored to maintain the department at a high peak of efficiency in order to be able to cope with any war-time emergency that may arise.

During the year 1942 this department in conjunction with the King County Commissioners has completed and put in operation a new frequency-modulation radio station, and our police prowler cars have been equipped with the latest type of frequency modulation receivers. This has been a splendid step forward in advancing our radio communication system, which is a most vital branch of modern police service.

Immediate consideration should be given by the members of the City Council to the matter of providing a proper City jail for the handling of all City prisoners. At this time I again wish to call to your attention the overcrowded and unsanitary conditions of the present City jail, on the top floor of the Public Safety Building. It is necessary at this time to board an average of 200 prisoners per day at the King County jail at a great expense to the City. Even with this number being taken care of at the County jail, we still have an average of 375 to 400 prisoners per day in the City jail, which was originally built to accommodate approximately 175 prisoners. Due to lack of facilities and food rationing, the County jail is unable to handle more City prisoners than at present. Consideration should be given to some plan of handling habitual drunkards in order that they might be rehabilitated and their time occupied in some constructive work.

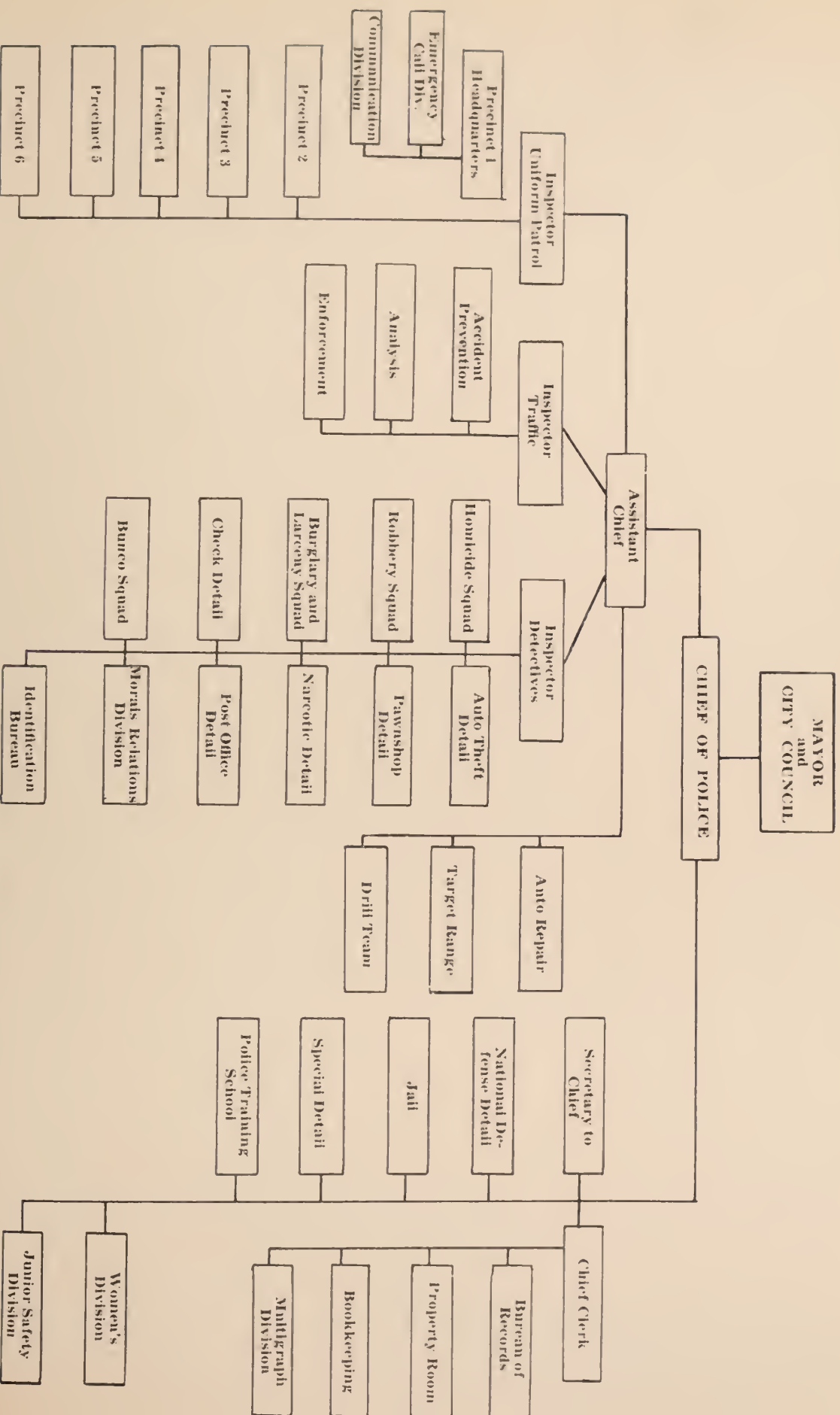
In view of the many tasks confronting us in these wartime conditions, this being the first full year of the current war, it has been necessary for the officers of this department to work many hours of overtime which I feel the citizens of Seattle appreciate, as shown by the many letters of commendation received. Much credit should also be given to the work of the volunteer members of all branches of Civilian Defense throughout the City. Much time and sincere effort has been put forth by thousands of citizens in perfecting these organizations, and on behalf of this department, I highly commend them for their patriotism and loyalty to this community and our National Government.

Respectfully yours,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, reading "H. D. Kimsey". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long horizontal stroke at the end.

H. D. KIMSEY, Chief of Police.

ORGANIZATION of the SEATTLE POLICE DEPARTMENT



PERSONNEL, RANKS AND GRADES, AND SALARY SCALE

RANK AND GRADE	Number	Annual Salary Scale
Chief of Police.....	1	\$5,000.00
Assistant Chief of Police.....	1	3,840.00
Inspector	2	3,540.00
Captain, 1st Grade	8	3,240.00
Captain, 2nd Grade	2	3,120.00
Sergeant, 1st Grade	36	2,640.00
Sergeant, 2nd Grade .....	....	2,520.00
Sergeant (assigned to Target Range)	1	2,820.00
Patrolman (assigned to Traffic Violations Bureau)	1	2,760.00
Patrolman (assigned to Traffic Violations Bureau)	1	2,640.00
Patrolman (assigned as Special Investigator).....	1	2,640.00
Patrolman, 1st Grade	333	2,400.00
Patrolman, 2nd Grade	45	2,340.00
Patrolman, 3rd Grade	53	2,280.00
Patrolman, 4th Grade .....	....	2,160.00
Inspector of Detectives	1	3,660.00
Detective Captain, 1st Grade	3	3,240.00
Detective Captain, 2nd Grade	1	3,120.00
Identification Superintendent	1	2,760.00
Detective Sergeant, 1st Grade.....	41	2,640.00
Detective Sergeant, 2nd Grade .....	....	2,520.00
Captain of Police Women	1	2,880.00
Policewoman, 1st Grade.....	5	2,400.00
Policewoman, 2nd Grade	1	2,340.00
Policewoman, 4th Grade	2	2,160.00
Chief Clerk—Police	1	3,240.00
Principal Clerk	1	2,520.00
Account Clerk	1	2,100.00
Sr. Clk.-Steno. (Secy. to Chief of Police).....	1	2,220.00
Senior Clerk-Stenographer, 1st Grade	2	2,100.00
Senior Clerk-Stenographer, 4th Grade	1	1,920.00
Intermediate Clerk-Stenographer (assigned to Detective Division and Booking Office)	9	1,980.00
Int. Clk.-Steno., 1st Grade	3	1,860.00
Senior Clerk, 1st Grade	1	2,100.00
Senior Clerk, 2nd Grade	1	1,980.00
Senior Clerk, 4th Grade	1	1,920.00
Intermediate Clerk, 1st Grade	7	1,860.00
Intermediate Clerk, 4th Grade	2	1,680.00
Telephone Operators	6	1,380.00
Police Matron, 1st Grade	3	2,400.00
Police Matron, 2nd Grade	1	2,340.00
Cook, 1st Grade	2	2,100.00
Cook, Part Time	1	1,600.00
Signal Telephone Technician	1	2,898.00
Lineman	2	2,898.00
Lineman's Helper	3	2,142.00
Pound Attendant.....	1	1,920.00
Pound Attendant	2	1,500.00
Auto Machinist Foreman	1	2,760.00
Auto Machinist	6	2,520.00
Auto Machinist's Assistant	3	2,160.00
Radio Technician	1	2,880.00
Radio Technician's Assistant	1	1,980.00
Chief Radio Operator	1	2,460.00
Radio Operator	2	2,280.00
Director of Junior Safety	1	3,120.00
Director of Police Training	1	3,540.00
Total Personnel	611	

PERSONNEL DISTRIBUTION OF THE POLICE DEPARTMENT

No.		Hdqrs.	Precincts					Det. Div.	Traf. Div.	Jail	Misc.
			2	3	4	5	6				
1	Chief of Police	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
1	Assistant Chief of Police	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
2	Inspectors.....	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	1	---	---
10	Captains	3	1	1	1	1	1	---	1	1	---
36	Sergeants.....	19	2	2	2	2	3	---	3	1	2
219	Foot Patrolmen	184	3	3	1	---	22	---	6	---	---
132	Prowler Car Patrolmen	34	15	9	13	12	15	---	34	---	---
5	Juvenile Patrolmen	1	1	---	1	1	1	---	---	---	---
8	Motorcycle Patrolmen	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	8	---	---
12	Patrolmen—National Defense Detail..	12	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
59	Patrolmen in Special Divisions.....	---	---	---	---	---	---	29	19	9	2
1	Inspector of Detectives	---	---	---	---	---	---	1	---	---	---
4	Detective Captains	---	---	---	---	---	---	4	---	---	---
1	Identification Superintendent	---	---	---	---	---	---	1	---	---	---
41	Detective Sergeants	---	---	---	---	---	---	41	---	---	---
1	Captain of Police Women	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
8	Policewomen	8	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
1	Chief Clerk—Police	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
1	Principal Clerk	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	1	---	---
1	Account Clerk	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
4	Senior Clerk-Stenographers	2	---	---	---	---	---	1	---	---	1
12	Intermediate Clerk-Stenos.	9	---	---	---	---	---	1	2	---	---
3	Senior Clerks	1	---	---	---	---	---	2	---	---	---
9	Intermediate Clerks	4	---	---	---	---	---	---	5	---	---
6	Telephone Operators	6	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
4	Police Matrons	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	4	---
3	Cooks	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	3	---
1	Signal Telephone Technician	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	1
2	Linemen	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	2
3	Lineman's Helpers	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	3
3	Pound Attendants	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	3
1	Auto Machinist Foreman.....	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
6	Auto Machinists	6	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
3	Auto Machinist's Assistants	3	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
1	Radio Technician	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
1	Radio Technician's Assistant	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
3	Radio Operators	3	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
1	Director of Junior Safety	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
1	Director of Police Training	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	1
611		305	22	15	18	16	42	80	80	18	15

CHANGES IN ACTIVE PERSONNEL DURING 1942

Authorized budget personnel, January 1, 1942.....	628
Number present for duty, January 1, 1942	628
Appointed: (New members to fill vacancies):	
Patrolmen	40
Policewoman	1
Sergeant	1
Intermediate Clerk-Stenographers	7
Intermediate Clerks	9
Telephone Operators	6
Radio Operators	4
Auto Machinist Helpers	4
Radio Technician Assistants	1
Cooks	1
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Total number recorded during year	76
Separations:	
Dismissed for cause:	
Patrolman	1
Intermediate Clerk	1
Laid off:	
Auto Machinist Assistants	2
Resigned:	
Patrolmen	4
Intermediate Clerk-Stenographers ..	1
Intermediate Clerk	1
Pound Attendant	1
Military leave:	
Sergeants	2
Detective Sergeants	3
Patrolmen	45
Senior Clerks	1
Intermediate Clerk-Stenographers ..	3
Intermediate Clerks	3
Radio Technician Assistant	1
Radio Operator	1
Linemen's Helper	1
Cook	1
Deceased:	
Detective Sergeant	1
Sergeant	1
Patrolmen	2
Retired (On Pension):	
Chief of Detectives—Length of	
Service	1
Captain—Length of Service	1
Sergeants—Length of Service	2
Patrolmen—Length of Service	8
Patrolmen—Disability	2
Senior Clerk-Stenographer—Length	
of Service	1
Intermediate Clerk-Stenographer	
—Disability	1
Killed in Active Duty	0
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Total Number Separations During Year	93
Number Present for Duty December 31, 1942.....	611

Promotions:

To Inspector of Police	2	To Detective Sergeant	6
To Chief of Detectives	1	To Policewoman	1
To Captain of Detectives	1	To Senior Clerk-Stenographer	1
To Captain	3	To Senior Clerk	2
To Sergeant	8		

PERSONNEL DISTRIBUTION OF THE DETECTIVE DIVISION

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PERSONNEL DISTRIBUTION OF THE TRAFFIC DIVISION

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FINANCIAL STATEMENT
Showing Operating Expense of Police Department for 1942

	Salaries	Supplies & Expenses	Bellermens
General Operations, Administration and Office	\$1,171,220.00*	\$ 6,000.00	\$ 500.00
Jails	37,920.00	20,000.00*	.....
Signal System	14,364.00	2,800.00	.....
Pound	4,800.00	200.00	.....
Shops, Auto Maintenance	18,720.00*	30,500.00	5,000.00*
Radio	12,480.00	3,600.00	.....
Junior Safety Patrol	2,880.00	1,100.00	.....
Police Training School	5,340.00	4,500.00	.....
Industrial Insurance .....	.....	150.00	.....
Teletype Rental .....	.....	4,500.00	.....
Equipment .....	.....	2,500.00*	.....
Transportation .....	.....	7,324.92	.....
Police Investigation Fund .....	.....	5,000.00	.....
	<u>\$1,267,724.00</u>	<u>\$ 88,174.92</u>	<u>\$ 5,500.00</u>
GRAND TOTAL 1942 BUDGET			\$1,361,398.92

*Emergency Appropriations for 1942:

Salary 50 additional Patrolmen	\$100,000.00
Equipment for 50 new Patrolmen	5,500.00
Salary increase by Charter Amendment, 3-19-42 ..	107,604.95
Auto Machinist and Helper	4,320.00
Food for City Jail	32,000.00
100 Additional Guns	3,000.00
Prowler Car Replacements	8,000.00
Air Raid Sirens	10,000.00

FINANCIAL STATEMENT
Showing Estimated Operating Expense of Police Department for 1943

	Salaries	Supplies & Expenses	Bellermens
General Operations, Administration and Office	\$1,371,320.00	\$ 7,000.00	\$ 500.00
Jails	39,580.00	40,000.00	.....
Signal System	15,120.00	2,800.00	.....
Pound	4,920.00	200.00	.....
Shops, Auto Maintenance	24,360.00	35,000.00	10,000.00*
Radio	11,880.00	3,600.00	.....
Junior Safety Patrol	3,120.00	1,100.00	.....
Police Training School	5,640.00	4,500.00	.....
Industrial Insurance .....	.....	150.00	.....
Teletype Rental .....	.....	4,500.00	.....
Equipment .....	.....	5,500.00	.....
Transportation .....	.....	7,324.92	.....
Police Investigation Fund .....	.....	5,000.00	.....
	<u>\$1,475,940.00</u>	<u>\$ 116,674.92</u>	<u>\$ 10,500.00</u>
GRAND TOTAL 1943 BUDGET			\$1,603,114.92

*Emergency appropriation January 1943, for Prowler cars, \$15,000.00.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

Showing Amount of Fines Collected at Police Headquarters, and
Miscellaneous Police Revenue During the Year 1942

1942	Police Court Fines and Forfeitures		Miscellaneous Police Revenue
	Traffic Receipts	All Other Receipts	
January.....	\$21,118.50	\$10,251.10	\$ 47.93
February.....	15,115.00	11,474.10	75.00
March.....	23,491.50	15,426.50	399.57
April.....	32,210.50	14,960.50	78.00
May.....	29,899.50	13,506.50	25.00
June.....	30,830.00	16,840.50	75.00
July.....	31,188.00	13,736.00	25.00
August.....	35,426.00	16,018.50	73.77
September.....	33,409.00	15,414.50	652.70
October.....	32,640.00	19,531.50	56.53
November.....	25,755.00	17,804.50	25.00
December.....	26,991.00	19,275.00	76.00
	\$338,074.00	\$184,239.20	\$ 1,609.50
Total Police Court Fines and Forfeitures.....			\$522,313.20
GRAND TOTAL.....			\$523,922.70

NUMBER AND DISPOSITION OF MAJOR CRIMINAL OFFENSES REPORTED OR KNOWN TO POLICE

	Offenses Reported or Known to Police	Un- founded	Number of Actual Offenses	Cleared by Arrest	Not Cleared by Arrest
Criminal Homicide	7	1	6	5	1
Manslaughter by Negligence.....	89	44	45	23	22
Rape	16	---	16	14	2
Robbery	281	---	281	72	209
Aggravated Assault	55	---	55	38	17
Burglary	2296	---	2296	357	1939
Grand Larceny	751	---	751	109	642
Petit Larceny (under \$25).....	3896	---	3896	320	3576
*Auto Theft	1924	283	1641	131	1510

*(Note: 1,613 automobiles recovered. See page 27.)

**TABULATED RECORD OF ARRESTS SHOWING NUMBER CHARGED BY POLICE
AND DISPOSITION THEREOF
FROM JANUARY 1, 1942, TO DECEMBER 31, 1942**

CLASSIFICATION OF OFFENSES	PERSONS RELEASED BY POLICE (No formal charge) Exclude those turned over to other juris- dictions.	PERSONS CHARGED BY THE POLICE			PERSONS FOUND GUILTY	
		TOTAL PERSONS CHARGED (Column 4 plus Column 5)	ARRESTED (Held for prosecution)	SUMMONED NOTIFIED OR CITED	OF OFFENSE CHARGED	OF LESSER OFFENSE
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
PART I CLASSES						
1. Criminal homicide:						
(a) Murder and non-negligent manslaughter		3	3		3	2
(b) Manslaughter by negligence					1	
2. Rape		9	9		7	
3. Robbery		23	22	1	18	1
4. Aggravated assault		11	11		6	1
5. Burglary—breaking or entering		166	164	2	139	4
6. Larceny—theft (except auto theft)		358	354	4	282	6
7. Auto theft		146	144	2	120	
Total, Part I Classes		716	707	9	576	14
PART II CLASSES						
8. Other assaults		71	66	5	27	
9. Forgery and counterfeiting		12	12		6	2
10. Embezzlement and fraud		25	25		19	
11. Stolen property; buying, re- ceiving, possessing						
12. Weapons; carrying, possessing, etc.		38	38		35	
13. Prostitution and commercial- ized vice		912	906	6	817	1
14. Sex offenses (except 2 and 13)		120	115	5	87	
15. Offenses against the family and children		6	6		4	
16. Narcotic drug laws		2	2		1	1
17. Liquor laws		50	49	1	46	
18. Drunkenness	4	27,588	27,523	65	14,418	
19. Disorderly conduct		1,912	1,906	6	1,677	
20. Vagrancy		1,060	1,045	15	838	
21. Gambling		149	149		142	
22. Driving while intoxicated		10	10		10	
23. Violation of road and driving laws		2,638	2,593	45	1,552	405
24. Parking violations		149	72	77	133	
25. Traffic and motor vehicle laws (except 22-24)		131	122	9	122	
26. All other offenses	141	1,998	1,967	31	1,045	1
27. Suspicion	638	x x x x	x x x x	x x x x	x x x x	x x x x
Total Part II Classes	783	36,871	36,606	265	20,979	410
Total	783	37,587	37,313	274	21,555	424

Released to other authorities 371

Soldiers and sailors booked for safekeeping 4,114

Total persons booked and charged during 1942...42,072

NOTE: Number of citations issued for traffic offenses including moving violations and parking violations are shown on pages 24 and 25 and not included in tabulation on this page. Traffic offenses shown in Items 22, 23, 24 and 25 on this page are persons brought in and booked direct.

AGE AND SEX OF PERSONS ARRESTED FOR THE YEAR 1942

CLASSIFICATION OF OFFENSES	Under 15		15		16		17		18		19		20		21	
	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F
Criminal Homicide: (a) Murder and Non-negligent manslaughter .....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
(b) Manslaughter by Negligence..	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Rape	1	....	....	....	2	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Robbery	2	....	....	....	....	....	1	....	1	....	2	....	....	....	2	....
Aggravated Assault .....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Burglary—Breaking or Entering	52	....	15	....	18	1	16	....	8	....	2	....	3	....	4	....
Larceny—Theft (except auto theft) 111	....	....	28	....	36	....	26	1	3	4	8	3	5	....	11	....
Auto Theft	38	....	23	....	27	....	19	....	9	....	2	....	2	....	2	....
Other Assaults	1	....	1	....	1	....	1	....	....	....	....	....	2	....	3	....
Forgery and Counterfeiting .....	....	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	....	....
Embezzlement and Fraud	2	....	1	....	1	....	1	....	....	....	....	1	....	....	1	....
Stolen Property; Buying, Receiving, Possessing .....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Weapons, Carrying, Possessing, etc.	3	....	....	....	....	....	4	....	....	....	....	....	1	....	....	....
Prostitution and Commercialized Vice .....	....	7	....	11	....	9	....	7	....	25	....	42	....	27	....	....
Sex Offenses (except rape and prostitution).....	5	3	1	5	3	8	4	10	5	2	3	....	1	....	3	....
Narcotic Drug Laws .....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Liquor Laws	2	....	....	....	2	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	2
Drunkenness .....	....	....	3	....	12	1	24	6	115	13	130	7	171	21	220	....
Disorderly Conduct	4	2	8	5	8	2	4	12	57	41	46	49	50	34	42	....
Vagrancy	2	....	3	2	3	....	1	....	6	1	7	....	8	....	12	....
Gambling .....	....	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	1	....
Total	223	12	83	24	125	21	101	36	205	86	201	102	243	82	303	11

AGE AND SEX OF PERSONS ARRESTED FOR THE YEAR 1942

22		23		24		25-29		30-34		35-39		40-44		45-49		50 and Over		Total	
M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F
....	....	....	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	....	....	1	....	1	....	....	....	2	1
....
....	....	1	....	....	....	3	....	1	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	9	0
2	....	....	....	2	....	3	....	6	....	1	....	1	....	....	....	....	....	23	0
....	....	1	....	1	....	3	....	1	....	2	....	2	....	1	....	....	....	10	1
5	....	3	....	4	....	10	....	6	....	8	....	4	....	3	....	4	....	165	1
6	2	13	1	6	1	19	2	18	1	13	2	20	....	7	....	9	1	339	19
....	1	3	....	5	1	8	1	5	....	2	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	143	3
2	....	4	....	....	....	8	....	14	....	12	....	9	1	4	....	8	....	70	1
....	....	1	....	....	....	3	1	1	1	....	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	10	2
....	....	....	....	3	....	1	....	4	....	4	1	2	1	....	....	2	....	22	3
....
1	....	1	....	1	....	6	....	4	1	7	1	4	....	3	....	1	....	36	2
....	56	....	60	....	55	5	225	3	120	1	97	1	49	2	34	4	18	16	896
1	....	1	....	4	....	15	2	7	....	14	1	7	....	2	....	13	....	89	31
....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	....	....	....	1	1	1
2	4	....	....	1	....	3	....	1	2	1	....	3	3	4	1	18	1	39	11
182	37	187	27	177	43	1531	208	2728	249	4057	224	4389	224	4224	165	8027	149	26177	1411
32	91	37	45	31	43	173	149	164	83	158	60	123	32	105	22	131	10	1173	739
17	1	21	1	18	....	72	....	112	5	190	1	203	1	141	1	229	....	1045	15
1	1	2	1	1	....	7	....	15	2	31	....	20	....	30	....	36	....	145	4
251	193	275	135	254	143	1871	588	3090	464	4502	387	4789	311	4526	225	8482	180	29514	3141

Total, Male and Female 32655

All Other Offenses, Male and Female 9417

Grand Total 42072

NATIVITY AND RACE OF PERSONS ARRESTED FOR THE YEAR 1942

CLASSIFICATION OF OFFENSES	Whites					
	Native		Foreign-Born		Negro	
	M	F	M	F	M	F
Criminal Homicide: (a) Murder and Non-Negligent Manslaughter	2	-----	-----	-----	-----	1
(b) Manslaughter by Negligence	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
Rape	9	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
Robbery	16	-----	-----	-----	7	-----
Aggravated Assault	3	1	-----	-----	5	-----
Burglary—Breaking or Entering	140	1	1	-----	22	-----
Larceny—Theft (Except Auto Theft)	309	19	3	-----	15	-----
Auto Theft	136	3	1	-----	4	-----
Other Assaults	51	1	1	-----	11	-----
Forgery and Counterfeiting	10	2	-----	-----	-----	-----
Embezzlement and Fraud	21	3	-----	-----	-----	-----
Stolen Property, Buying, Receiving, Possessing	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
Weapons, Carrying, Possessing, etc.	21	2	3	-----	7	-----
Prostitution and Commercialized Vice	-----	655	1	8	9	83
Sex Offenses (Except Rape and Prostitution)	78	29	4	-----	6	-----
Narcotic Drug Laws	1	1	-----	-----	-----	-----
Liquor Laws	20	9	9	-----	8	2
Drunkenness	20,875	1162	3038	39	1033	21
Disorderly Conduct	849	642	61	7	190	46
Vagrancy	800	14	45	-----	155	1
Gambling	51	4	8	-----	8	-----
TOTAL	23,393	2535	3175	54	1480	154

NATIVITY AND RACE OF PERSONS ARRESTED FOR THE YEAR 1942

Indian		Chinese		Japanese		Mexican		All-Others		Totals	
M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	1
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	9	0
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	23	0
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	.....	10	1
2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	165	1
5	.....	.....	.....	2	.....	.....	.....	5	.....	339	19
2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	143	3
1	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	4	.....	70	1
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10	2
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	22	3
.....
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	4	.....	36	2
.....	122	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	8	.....	6	16	896
.....	1	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	89	31
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	1
.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	39	11
1052	180	6	.....	6	1	117	1	50	7	26177	1411
18	41	11	.....	5	1	10	.....	29	2	1173	739
24	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	12	.....	8	.....	1045	15
.....	.....	75	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	2	.....	145	4
1104	344	94	.....	15	2	142	9	106	16	29514	3141

Total, Male and Female 32655

All Other Offenses, Male and Female..... 9417

Grand Total 42072

BOOKINGS, CITATIONS AND INVESTIGATIONS MADE BY TRAFFIC DIVISION DURING 1942

Total Enforcement Summary for Year 1942	BOOKINGS										MOVING VIOLATIONS			
	Days Wkd.	Reck. Driv.	Neg. Driv.	Hit & Run	Speed	Ped. Rt-Way	Other Traf.	War- rant	De- linq.	Crim- inal	Neg. Driv.	Speed	Stop Sig.	Imp. Turn
January.....	2,179	124	20	9	0	14	4	22	9	98	58	479	242	25
February.....	1,757	134	47	5	1	9	6	18	4	63	36	205	152	35
March.....	2,055	182	50	10	1	5	9	17	22	95	51	955	570	41
April.....	2,089	182	46	18	8	5	10	18	7	104	74	1081	841	57
May.....	2,021	199	52	18	5	8	17	18	7	117	66	840	207	53
June.....	1,874	159	26	7	3	5	2	24	5	95	69	673	803	48
July.....	1,898	142	19	19	2	8	18	2	9	129	62	646	887	62
August.....	1,903	120	36	11	3	2	8	4	10	114	55	802	885	72
September.....	1,841	105	29	24	3	4	16	5	18	94	64	596	761	59
October.....	1,805	141	30	19	4	2	8	8	19	137	65	558	522	61
November.....	1,457	127	17	14	2	6	6	7	18	80	48	254	442	48
December.....	1,790	137	14	22	0	4	4	2	7	128	51	254	496	48
GRAND TOTAL....	22,669	1752	386	176	32	72	108	145	135	1254	699	7343	7808	609

TOTAL TRAFFIC BOOKINGS 2,806

TOTAL CRIMINAL BOOKINGS BY
TRAFFIC DIVISION 1,254

GRAND TOTAL 4,060

BOOKINGS, CITATIONS AND INVESTIGATIONS MADE BY TRAFFIC DIVISION DURING 1942

MOVING VIOLATIONS							INVESTIGATIONS, ETC.								
Ped. Rt-Way	Veh. Rt-Way	Wrong Side	Imp. Sig.	Def. Equip.	Oth. Mov.	Park. Viol.	Acc. Inv.	Acc. Arr.	Fatal- ities	In- juries	Prop. Dam- age	Veh. Imp.	Photos	First Aid	Mileage Traffic Div.
10	24	18	17	23	10	10,232	369	184	8	105	256	289	61	48	51,208
14	18	9	5	11	13	9,285	339	167	2	97	240	144	89	23	41,656
24	15	56	24	75	32	14,416	342	185	8	79	255	442	73	46	53,141
28	11	49	14	72	39	15,420	334	167	4	107	223	373	64	35	50,359
21	18	53	16	359	43	20,063	346	208	10	87	249	339	72	28	49,306
30	28	32	22	109	40	19,957	335	186	6	87	242	420	47	33	46,299
31	28	61	0	53	50	22,476	322	192	4	97	221	364	55	33	47,741
65	22	46	12	67	48	25,097	331	189	2	101	228	306	54	31	47,769
29	21	43	11	114	66	21,614	336	205	3	85	248	438	35	2	46,498
28	24	86	8	108	70	17,148	385	229	1	117	267	737	59	0	44,177
40	26	34	13	96	72	15,576	414	271	6	126	282	661	57	0	37,164
21	31	44	4	178	101	16,815	383	224	10	104	269	638	37	0	45,070
341	266	531	146	1265	584	208,099	4236	2407	64	1192	2980	5151	703	279	560,388

*24 24

Total fatalities 88

Total injuries 1,168

*(Listed as injured but died later)

TOTAL MOVING VIOLATION CITATIONS 19,592

TOTAL PARKING VIOLATION CITATIONS..... 208,099

GRAND TOTAL 227,691

AUTOMOBILE THEFT STATISTICS

	Motor Vehicle Registration State of Washington	Automobile Thefts Reported in Seattle	Stolen Automobiles Recovered	Net Loss by Theft
1922	220,957	810	687	123
1923	269,749	1,342	1,213	129
1924	307,661	2,089	1,857	232
1925	341,228	2,064	1,881	183
1926	377,187	2,433	2,264	169
1927	398,861	2,582	2,343	239
1928	415,616	2,496	2,247	249
1929	468,544	2,886	2,540	346
1930	458,994	2,959	2,672	287
1931	433,770	3,103	2,857	246
1932	458,683	2,316	2,140	176
1933	437,465	2,369	2,163	206
1934	431,584	2,129	1,940	189
1935	470,892	1,650	1,485	165
1936	525,203	1,877	1,833	44
1937	566,623	1,686	1,661	25
1938	556,373	1,552	1,542	10
1939	572,277	1,532	1,517	15
1940	603,037	1,187	1,175	12
1941	662,361	1,420	1,394	26
1942	658,214	1,641	1,613	28

REPORT OF BUREAU OF IDENTIFICATION

Photograph File:

Number of criminals photographed during 1942	932
Number of photographs made	20,630
Number of photographs sent to 14 exchanges	11,184
Number of photographs received from 9 exchanges	5,600
Number of photographs made of crime scenes, fires, stolen property, etc.	250
Number of miscellaneous photographs made during 1942.....	1,600
Number of photographs made of latent fingerprints	250
Total number of photographs on file December 31, 1942.....	274,300

Fingerprint File:

Number of criminals fingerprinted during 1942	932
Number of fingerprint cards sent to 14 exchanges	11,184
Number of fingerprint cards received from 9 exchanges, etc....	5,950
Number of fingerprint cards sent to Federal Bureau of Investigation	932
Number of premises examined for latent fingerprints	375
Total number of fingerprint cards on file	174,300
Total number of fingerprint index cards	307,200
Number of fingerprint cards made for war agencies, etc.....	7,000

REPORT OF SUPERVISOR OF DANCING, 1942

Dance Halls

Dance licenses granted	New	5
Dance licenses	Renewal	41
Dance permits issued		86
Visits to dance halls		1,520

Cafe Dances

Licenses granted	New	3
Licenses	Renewal	17
Visits to dance cafes		2,640

Operating as of December 31, 1942

Dance Halls	46
Cafe dances	20

JUNIOR SAFETY DIVISION

JUNIOR SAFETY PATROL

On December 31, 1942, units of the Junior Safety Patrol were operating in 122 Schools, as follows:

Public Schools	75
High Schools	9
Catholic Schools	19
Other Schools and Churches	28
Total Patrol members enrolled	2,500
Number of school crossings under Patrol supervision..	300
Number of pupils safeguarded	91,000

No Patrol Officers have been injured while on duty since the Patrol was organized.

The Patrol completed the year 1942 with a perfect record. In the past fourteen and one-half years, no fatalities have occurred at supervised crossings.

Outside of school hours, fatalities and injuries to children, under 18 years of age, have occurred over a ten-year period, as follows:

	Fatalities	Injuries	Bike Accidents
1933	10	380	103
1934	8	338	176
1935	10	315	155
1936	6	327	177
1937	6	256	177
1938	7	145	120
1939	4	106	105
1940	8	125	114
1941	5	.....	129
1942	5	225	49

Number of merit buttons and certificates awarded to Patrol members	1,240
Number of School Assemblies held	20
Number of lectures and radio programs	78
Number of Patrol Members at annual outing	1,592
Number of arrests by the Division during the year	3
Number of violators turned in to Division office by Patrol Officers, and warned	220

The members of the Junior Safety Patrol are highly commended for their faithful service throughout the year in the handling of traffic at school crossings.

JUNIOR SAFETY DIVISION

Juvenile Boys

OFFENSES:

Abroad at Night (curfew)	19
Burglary	138
Checks	11
Degeneracy	8
Disorderly Conduct	26
Fighting and Assault	16
Fugitives	4
Investigation	0
Guns—B-B, Slingshots, etc.	137
Liquor or Beer	56
Lost	8
Mental Cases	4
Misc. Law Violations	186
Misch'ef	22
Property Damage	119
Prowling	12
Play in Street	3
Purse Snatching	4
Riding in Stolen Car	4
Robbery	4
Runaways	93
Safekeeping	8
Sex Cases	26
Social Disease	0
Stealing:	
Auto Accessories	8
Bicycles	35
Cars	100
Money	40
Miscellaneous	219
Trespassing	4
Truants	54
Uncontrollable	7
Window Peeping	1
Contributing	11
Total.....	1,387

DISPOSITIONS:

To Other Authorities	21
To Juvenile Court	582
To State Court	17
Reprimanded and Released	756
To Police Court	5
To Liquor Board	6
Total.....	1,387

DISPOSITIONS OF CONTRIBUTING CASES:
Liquor Board Cases:

- 2 cases License suspended 30 days each.
- 1 case License suspended 45 days.
- 2 cases Dispositions not returned.

State Court Cases:

- 1 man on parole returned to State Penitentiary for life.
- 1 man fined \$125.00 and given 60 days suspended sentence.

First Offense	1,127
Second Offense	260

Total..... 1,387

JUNIOR SAFETY DIVISION

Juvenile Boys—(Continued)

TRAFFIC:

Reckless Driving	52	
Negligent Driving	68	
Speed — over 50 MPH	22	
Speed — 40 to 50 MPH	116	
Speed — 30 to 40 MPH	88	
Arterials	55	
Traffic Light	57	
No Operator's License	82	
No State Test	100	
Pedestrian Right of Way	11	
Defective Equipment	68	
Parking Violations	206	
Other Traffic Violations	102	
Total.....		1,027
First Offense	763	
Second Offense	264	
Total.....		1,027

DISPOSITIONS:

To Police Court	1	
To Juvenile Court	476	
Reprimanded and Released	550	
Total.....		1,027

DISPOSITION OF CASES REFERRED TO JUVENILE COURT:

Returned to State Training School	4	
Committed to State Training School	11	
Returned to Parental School, Mercer Island ...	8	
Committed to Parental School	35	
To Ryther Center	9	
To Jeff Home	4	
Ward of Court	25	
Under Supervision	81	
Reprimanded and Released	232	
Released to Parents	144	
CCC Camp	3	
To Join Navy	8	
Army	3	
Marines	1	
Restitution	17	
Driver's License held for definite time	47	
Driver's License held for indefinite time	90	
Released to Other Authorities	20	
To Briscoe School	1	
Car to be Tested	14	
Car to be Sold	11	
To Obtain Driver's License	17	
Censured Parents	3	
Car Impounded	7	
To Family Society	2	
Employment Found	1	
Committed to State Custodial School	2	
Referred to Psychiatrist	1	
Pending	260	

Total..... 1,058

BUREAU OF MISSING PERSONS—MEN AND BOYS

Missing Persons—Local

Men and Boys Reported Missing:

Over 18 years of age	636	
Under 18 years of age	993	
Total.....		1,629

Reports Settled:

Over 18 years of age	562	
Under 18 years of age	929	
		1,491

Reports Unsettled	138	

Total.....		1,629
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Letters written regarding above cases	120	
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Missing Persons—Foreign

Letters received regarding missing persons thought to be in Seattle	767	
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Persons located	302	
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Persons not located	224	
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Information and advice given	241	

Total.....		767
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WOMEN'S DIVISION

Juvenile Girls

Number of Complaints Received 1,045

SOURCES OF COMPLAINTS: Guardians or Relatives, 304; Outside Agencies, 25; Self, 10; Citizens, 245; Local Agencies, 103; Police Department, 358.

(Note: Each case reported for investigation may develop a number of problems, and these problems with final disposition of same are listed below.)

PROBLEMS:

Sexual Delinquencies	259
Incorrigibility	322
Neglect and Abandonment	196
Unmarried Mothers	15
Mental Deficiency	39
Theft and Shoplifting	56
Attempted Suicide	9
Violation of Liquor Laws	62
Violation of Traffic	27
Frequenting Beer Parlors	139
Truancy	90
Runaways	214
Protective	387
Miscellaneous	359
	2,174

DISPOSITIONS:

To Detention Home	382
Released to Outside Agencies	173
Report on Court Wards	107
Report on State Wards	8
Juvenile Court — Informal	76
Juvenile Court — Formal (Dependency Petitions Filed)	121
(Made Wards 118)	
Referred to School Authorities	213
Referred to Outside Authorities	42
Released to Parents or Guardians	81
Referred to Welfare Organizations	196
Referred to Health Authorities	144
Settled by Marriage	12
Investigated and Advised	619

2,174

Adult Cases

Number of Complaints Received 975

SOURCES OF COMPLAINTS: Guardians or Relatives, 100; Outside Agencies, 15; Self, 83; Citizens, 240; Local Agencies, 82; Police Department, 455.

(Note: Each case reported for investigation may develop a number of problems, and these problems with final disposition of same are listed below.)

PROBLEMS:

Contributing	134
Abandonment	15
Domestic Difficulty	215
Mental	254
Immorality	220
Unmarried mothers	11
Venereal	22
Assault	70
Theft	17
Liquor	330
Attempted Suicides	45
Degeneracy	99
Protective	202
Miscellaneous	311
	1,945

DISPOSITIONS:

To Law Enforcement Authorities	292
To Morals Relations Authorities	282
To Jail — Safekeeping	133
Mental Cases to Sanity Commission, City Physician and Sanitarium	254
To Health Department	159
To Federal Authorities	51
Court of Domestic Relations	2
Released to Outside Agencies	64
Released to Friends or Relatives	123
Released to Welfare Organizations	175
Settled by Marriage	12
Settled by Divorce	34
Investigated and Advised	364

1,945

WOMEN'S DIVISION

Law Enforcement Cases

Criminal Cases (involving men and women) prosecuted by policewomen		223	
CHARGES:		DISPOSITIONS:	
Contributing	56	Committed to Walla Walla	3
Disorderly Conduct	55	Returned to Walla Walla	4
Disorderly Person	12	Committed to Monroe Reformatory	1
Drunk or Drunk and Disorderly	22	Committed to County Jail	50
Indecent Liberties	14	Committed to City Jail	45
Vagrancy	22	Fined	26
Sex Offenses	22	Bail Forfeited	27
Assault	15	Sentence or Judgment Suspended	12
Non-Support	1	Fine and Days Suspended	2
Living Off the Earnings of a Prostitute....	1	Fugitive	4
Possession of Indecent Literature	1	Dismissed	28
Bigamy	1	Released	21
Parole Violator	1		
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	223		223

Women Arrested on Disorderly Charges

	Arrested	Convicted
Disorderly Persons	497	438
Disorderly Conduct	617	525
Violations of Traffic	108	70
Violation of Ordinance 16046	177	160
Violations of Other Ordinances	32	31
Running a Disorderly House	8	8
Drunk and Disorderly	88	81
Drunk	1399	755
Picked Up for Investigation	57	.....
Women Referred to the Health Department		1193
Negative.....	960	Positive..... 233

Bureau of Missing Persons—Women and Girls

Women and Girls reported missing	
Over 18 years of age	576
Under 18 years of age.....	918
Total.....	1,494
Reports Settled	
Over 18 years of age	576
Under 18 years of age	916
Unlocated	2
Total.....	1,494

Note: For detailed segregation and report of social problems consult
Women's Division, Police Headquarters.

POLICE SIGNAL DIVISION

Report of Work Performed by the Police Signal Division During 1942

New Installations

Installed new cast iron cable boxes in underground system	9
Installed new telephone lines	4
Installed new telephones	6
Installed new police boxes	3
Installed new lighting system and new cabinet box and convenient outlets in new radio room.	
Installed one 50 pair cable from telephone switchboard room MAIN 7810, to new radio room, Public Safety Building.	
Installed new cable in Police Box No. 34.	
Installed police box and flashlight at Maynard and Jackson Street.	
Installed metal cabinet and 3/4-inch conduit and wire on water tank at East 87th and 15th N. E.	
Installed inter-communication system at the Armory, Ballard, West Seattle and Columbia Police Stations.	
Installed black-out curtains in new radio room and telephone switchboard room, Public Safety Building.	

Transfers and Repairs

Transfer of telephones to new locations	15
Transferred police boxes to new locations	2
Transferred police box telephone lines at Magnolia Bluff from Ballard Precinct, to Precinct No. 1.	
Transferred telephone pairs from Telephone Company's cable to Police Department cable.	
Moved and installed radio lines at Myrtle Street tank to new radio house at 36th S. W. and Myrtle Street.	
Moved two 4-pin police registers, and one single-pin register from telephone switchboard room to new radio room.	
Repaired cable box at Columbia Police Station.	
Repaired phone in Police Box No. 133, replaced Box No. 415 on pole.	
Repaired police box at 15th North and Galer Street.	
Repaired heater at Precinct No. 1.	
Repaired receivers in Police Box No. 33, and transmitter and loose connections in Box 55.	
Cleared trouble on No. 4 Police circuit.	
Cleared Police telephone drop at Eastlake Avenue and Galer Street.	
Cleared wires for 8 housemoving jobs.	
Checked Box No. 352; also No. 5 circuit grounded.	
Run and test wires from Police Station to Second Avenue and Blanchard Street.	
Painted 10 overhead cable boxes.	

Work Performed, Repairs and Adjustments

Repaired 190 switchboard cords
200 trouble jobs on telephones
175 overhead transfers to line
15 police boxes transferred from old poles to new ones
800 miscellaneous and routine jobs.

MOTOR EQUIPMENT REPORT

AUTOMOBILE AND MOTORCYCLE MILEAGE

Automobile No.	Mileage	Automobile No.	Mileage
1.....	166	38.....	27,567
2.....	28,345	39.....	11,491
3.....	10,039	40.....	9,594
4.....	45,022	41.....	29,984
5.....	20,614	42.....	7,799
6.....	17,900	43.....	13,542
7.....	14,643	44.....	3,153
8.....	0	45.....	8,331
9.....	30,112	46.....	7,265
10.....	17,314	47.....	20,229
11.....	31,718	48.....	60
12.....	51,702	49.....	16,863
13.....	19,217	50.....	4,176
14.....	10,963	51.....	15,809
15.....	1,133	52.....	25,794
16.....	31,268	53.....	10,757
17.....	23,320	54.....	9,315
18.....	22,198	55.....	10,672
19.....	46,354	56.....	13,452
20.....	16,937	57.....	19,467
21.....	32,405	58.....	20,938
22.....	8,092	59.....	42,882
23.....	51,225	60.....	47,955
24.....	10,675	61.....	37,149
25.....	38,523	62.....	48,634
26.....	12,963	63.....	54,828
27.....	36,981	64.....	4,976
28.....	44,649	65.....	42,249
29.....	4,715	66.....	7,989
30.....	12,388	67.....	14,292
31.....	6,178	68.....	19,911
32.....	8,040	69.....	.....
33.....	30,234	70.....	.....
34.....	32,212	71.....	3,940
35.....	31,825	72.....	.....
36.....	42,563	73.....	5,878
37.....	17,276		

Total Miles1,476,855

Motorcycle No.	Mileage	Motorcycle No.	Mileage
1.....	11,821	18.....	7,738
2.....	5,051	19.....	9,898
3.....	7,055	20.....	10,592
4.....	2,396	21.....	7,439
5.....	9,849	22.....	10,816
6.....	9,497	23.....	11,237
7.....	13,785	24.....	11,546
8.....	3,160	25.....	11,506
9.....	4,053	26.....	4,859
10.....	10,567	27.....	6,385
11.....	3,941	28.....	6,322
12.....	6,199	29.....	7,818
13.....	9,612	30.....	5,295
14.....	15,093	31.....	3,386
15.....	10,283	32.....	7,229
16.....	11,108	33.....	3,765
17.....	6,857		

Total Mileage266,158

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